

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-14. (Canceled).

15. (Currently Amended) An electroluminescent device, comprising:

a bank defining a pixel;

an anode provided for the pixel;

a light-emitting layer provided in the pixel and above the anode and including at least an organic polymer ;

a thin-film layer provided ~~on~~ above the light-emitting layer ~~for suppressing current flowing through the light-emitting layer and not contributing to light emission~~ and overlapping the bank; and

a cathode provided ~~on~~ above the thin-film layer, the cathode ~~overlying~~ overlapping the bank ~~and the bank overlying edges of the anode~~.

16. (Canceled).

17. (Currently Amended) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, the thin-film layer ~~including at least one material selected from the group consisting of a fluoride or an oxide of an alkali metal, a fluoride or an oxide of an alkaline earth metal, and a fluoride or an oxide of a group III element in the periodic table~~ suppressing current flowing through the light-emitting layer and not contributing to light emission.

18. (Canceled).

19. (Currently Amended) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, ~~the thin-film layer being disposed only between the anode and the light-emitting layer~~ the bank overlapping edges of the anode.

20. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, further comprising:

a hole injection layer having electrical conductivity, the thickness thereof being not less than 100 nm, disposed between the light-emitting layer and the anode.

21. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, further comprising:

a buffer layer having electrical conductivity, the thickness thereof being not less than 100 nm, disposed between the light-emitting layer and the anode.

22. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, the organic polymer including at least one of polyfluorene and a derivative of polyfluorene.

23. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, the organic polymer including at least one of poly(p-phenylenevinylene) and a derivative of poly(p-phenylenevinylene).

24. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, the degree of polymerization of the organic polymer being at least two.

25. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, the light-emitting layer being formed by depositing a plurality of light-emitting material layers.

26. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 15, the light-emitting layer including the organic polymer being formed by a printing method.

27. (Original) The electroluminescent device according to claim 26, the printing method being an ink-jet method.

28. (Currently Amended) An electronic device having an electroluminescent device, the electroluminescent device comprising:

a bank defining a plurality of pixels;

a plurality of anodes, each of the plurality of anodes being provided for each of the plurality of pixels;

a plurality of light-emitting layers, each of the light emitting layers being provided in each of the plurality of pixels and ~~the above~~ each of the plurality of anodes and including at least an organic polymer;

a thin-film layer commonly provided ~~on~~ above the plurality of light-emitting layers ~~for suppressing current flowing through the plurality of light-emitting layers and not contributing to light emission~~ and overlapping the bank; and

a cathode provided ~~on~~ above the thin-film layer, the cathode ~~overlying~~ overlapping the bank and the bank overlying edges of the plurality of anodes.

29. (Canceled).

30. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~ electronic device according to claim 28, the thin-film layer ~~including at least one material selected from the group consisting of a fluoride or an oxide of an alkali metal, a fluoride or an oxide of an alkaline earth metal, and a fluoride or an oxide of a group III element in the periodic table~~ suppressing current flowing through the light-emitting layer and not contributing to light emission.

31. (Canceled).

32. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~ electronic device according to claim 28, ~~the thin-film layer being disposed only between the anode and the light-emitting layer~~ the bank overlapping edges of the plurality of anodes.

33. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~ electronic device according to claim 28, further comprising:

a hole injection layer having electrical conductivity, the thickness thereof being not less than 100 nm, disposed between the light-emitting layer and the anode.

34. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~electronic device according to claim 28, further comprising:

a buffer layer having electrical conductivity, the thickness thereof being not less than 100 nm, disposed between the light-emitting layer and the anode.

35. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~electronic device according to claim 28, the organic polymer including at least one of polyfluorene and a derivative of polyfluorene.

36. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~electronic device according to claim 28, the organic polymer including at least one of poly(p-phenylenevinylene) and a derivative of poly(p-phenylenevinylene).

37. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~electronic device according to claim 28, the degree of polymerization of the organic polymer being at least two.

38. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~electronic device according to claim 28, the light-emitting layer being formed by depositing a plurality of light-emitting material layers.

39. (Canceled).

40. (Currently Amended) The ~~electroluminescent~~electronic device according to claim 28, the printing method being an ink-jet method.

41-42. (Canceled).